Jack the Giant Slayer Users Guide

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STORYLINE

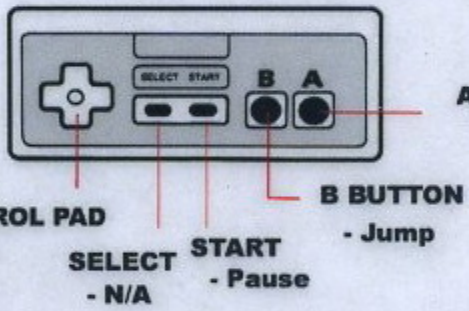
This is the story of a boy named Jack who was sold some magic beans on the way home from the market. When he got home, his mother was furious at him because he had traded the familys last cow for the beans. Consumed with rage, his mother threw the beans out the window. At first it seems that he is swindled by the stranger, but overnight the beans grew into a giant beanstalk!

When Jack arose that morning, he saw the beanstalk and was amazed. He was always good at jumping and climbing, so he decided to climb it to see where it went. After a long journey up the beanstalk, he came upon a castle in the clouds. It was here a Giant lived, who had many riches. He had heard of this Giant from his mother, apparently the Giant stole all their money and killed his father when Jack was a baby.

Now that Jack had found the Giant, he was ready for revenge. He snuck into the castle and stole many bags of treasure, so his family could live a decent life again. Upon hearing about the robbery, the Giant was very mad and decided to kidnap Jack's girlfriend until he gives back the treasure.

Jack must now go back up the beanstalk and rescue his girlfriend by jumping, dodging and shooting the enemies of the beanstalk. After you reach the castle, grab the goose that lays the golden egg and defeat the Giant to get back your girlfriend!

CONTROLS



ITEMS

Heart: Increases energy

Beans: These increase the strength of your attacks. This is only relevant for boss fights. You may earn up to three levels of bean power.

Springs: These increase your jump height. They are absolutely invaluable for any stage in which you have to climb the beanstalk. You can earn two levels of spring power.

Coins; Increases score by lowest amount

Money Bags: Increases score by medium amount

Diamonds: Increases score by the highest amount

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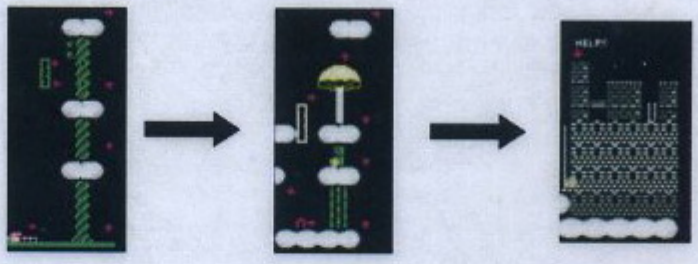
STAGES

There are 15 grueling stages you need to get through to save your girlfriend and grab a golden egg from the goose that lays the golden egg. Most stages have a boss at the end you need to defeat, but not all of them. This requires Jack to climb the beanstalk and get to the castle. Once in the castle, find the goose and then defeat the Giant to rescue your girlfriend.



BONUS STAGES

There are 9 Bonus Stages throughout the game. There are several types, one type involves shooting down snails bean-men or mice from a series of ropes before they can eat their way through it. Kill 30 of them and an Angel will appear at the top where the chest is located and collect your bonus.

The second type of Bonus Stage involves collecting coins as they are being dropped. Once you've collected them all run back to the beanstalk on the left side of the screen to reach the angel and collect your bonus.

Another type is with the mice again and it's your job to drop the money before it hits the ground to save the angel.

ENEMIES